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Weather Indications. WASHINGTON, July 10 .- Forecast until 8 p. m., Friday: For Kansas-Fair: winds shifting to

westerly; cooler in northwest portion. Colorano should be very happy today. She has a Waite off her mind.

THE Pullman company it seems came Mr. Murray proposes to have it appropretty near having its Wickes snuffed priated for three schools for the indusout.

The commonweal has been entirely lost sight of the past week in the com-

been a repreach among nations, but now another in South Carolina. the earth is shocked.

THE success of Mr. Sovereign's strike has only been exceeded by the Democratic administration.

THE proposed impeachment of Attorney General Olney is not likely to find the support in law that it deserves.

The testimony in the sugar trust inso much as sentences that the case demands.

How the strike is going to be successful with all the trains running, and sufficient men to handle them, Mr. Debs doesn't say.

be surprised if he were.

responsibility. Now that it has falled he says to Sovereign, "Here it is, take it." line and many lives were lost.

be truly called successful. But judging from the past there is no reason to think they will.

THE only sensible thing Gresham can be accused of having done he couldn't help. It was affixing his official signature to the president's proclamation to preserve law and order.

gondemned Congressman Sibley heartily; from this city. Kelly asserts that he has 600 men bebody to run this year.

first one industry and then another until every business in the country was paralyzed seems not to have extended beyoud the periphery of his own skull.

THE Minnesota Populists voted their sympathy to the strikers. The Populists have sympathized with nearly everybody this year, but it might be a good plan for them to save some of it until after the this morning He had repeatedly warned election.

THE Minnesota Democrats in one breath oppose the centralization of government and demand the nationalization of the liquor traffic. Being consistent in nothing, the Populists might as well be frank and say that all they want is the offices.

GENERAL SICKLES said it made his blood boil to see the soldiers at Chicago so slow to shoot. No one doubts General Sickles' bravery, but there have been a good many "blood boilers" during this eight months notice but it is expected strike who would have become decidedly luke warm had they had to face danger.

THE usual amount of advice has been given by foreign newspapers as to how we should deal with the riots in Chicago. The Paris Temps says bloodshed would be a disgrace to civilization. The spectacle of countries that keep large standing armies with the avowed intention of killing each other on the slightest pretext, telling us how to deal with a small riot, is as laughable as it is inconsistent. If it should disgrace civilization, how are they hurt?

IN ALL the contests between employe and employer similar to the one now going on it is noticeable that it is the amployers that appeal to the courts and ask for military aid. Another noticeable bircumstance is that they generally get all they ask for in this direction. Is this following. because they are always right and the workmen are always wrong? It is gen- | wanted to pay good times dividends and stally conceded that the laborers have a | hard times wages.

right to organize but what for? It is also conceded that they have a right to quit work when they feel so disposed. It is dealed by many that they have any OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY OF TOPSKA | kind of right to prevent in any way, other people from taking their places. Yet in doing this they are only doing what is practiced by some corporations, notably the Pullman corporation. There are railroad companies that are successful in BELIVERED BY CARBIER... 10 CENTS A WEEK almost every instance, in preventing certain discharged employes from securing work from any other company. They BY MAIL, THREE MONTHS ..... \$ .86 do not use force to attain this end but are many former railroad employes who testify that they have been forced to engage in other business because after being discharged, they found that whereever they applied for work under another company they were blacklisted. They are asked where they have worked and on giving the information the telegraph is brought into play and they are soon informed that their services are not needed. Yet they do not invoke the aid of the courts or of the federal authoritles, knowing well that no attention would be paid them if they did.

#### THREE COLORED SCHOOLS.

A Proposition to Use \$500,000 Gavers-

ment Money For That Purpose. Washington, July 12.—The passage of a bill to establish a home for aged colored people in Washington, from a part of the unclaimed funds due the esates of colored soldiers, has encouraged Representative Murray of South Carolina to propose that the baiance of the fund shall be used to build schools for his

There is half a million in the treasury due to colored soldiers of the rebellion as pay and bounties, which has never been claimed, and is likely to remain un-

trial education of the colored people of the south. A portion of it he proposes should be given to the trustees of the Tuskogee normal and industrial a hool, another share of \$25,000 to the school at Manassas, Va., and the remainder to the THE Turkish government has long establishment of a school in Texas, and

In a conspicuous place on the main building of each institution he would have inscribed "Sacred to the memory of the colored soldiers who died for the perpetuation of a free and perpetual

#### THE SEA ROLLED BACK

At San Stefano-Constantinople Gerting Over Its Earthquake Fright.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 12.—Slight earthquake shocks continued from time vestigation fills 622 pages. It isn't pages to time throughout the night, but this morning the city is resuming its normal appearance, the shops are being reopened and the inhabitants are returning to their houses.

The seismic disturbances extended throughout a wide area. The casualties were greater than earlier reports have stated. A shock was felt through out the peninsula of Anatolia, 256 miles THE country has been hoping sincerely The country has been hoping sincerely from here. Many railway stations have that Prendergast would indeed be hung been damaged and the town of Jalova on tomorrow, but in spite of that it would the gulf of Ismid is almost totally destroyed.

At Stamboul, the principal undulation WHILE the strike gave promise of appears to have followed a straight line success Debs was willing to take the from the mosque of Sultan Ahmed to Edirne Kapone, a distance of two miles. Great damage was done all along the

At the village of San Stefano the sea If the workingmen would learn from suddenly receded for a distance of 200 this strike that strikes don't pay it might | yards, then returned as suddenly, hurling the boats violently over the quaya, doing great damage.

#### KELLY NEAR WASHINGTON Is Muking Arrangements to Consolidate With Frye.

Washington, July 12.—Kelly, the leader of the so-called industrial army, Nor long ago Pennsylvania Democrats is near here, and is making arrangements with Frye to consolidate their bands at Roslyn, Va., just across the river

pow they have renominated him for con- tween here and Portsmouth, Ohio, and gress. Democrats are glad to get any- the first detachment will reach Washington this week vin the Chesapeake & Ohlo Canal. He says his men separated THE plan of Mr. Sovereign to call out into bands in order to secure more food in one body.

#### MUST HAVE THE NEWS.

If the Carrier Does Have to Ride Over the Sidewalks Occasionally.

John Eskridge filed a complaint against the young man that delivers the STATE JOURNALS around town for riding across his sidewalk in the police court the young man to desist. - Emporia Tid-

The man who can't excuse the haste and impetuosity of a young man delivering several hundred copies of the STATE Journal to as many subscribers frantic for the latest strike news ought to live in a country village where the people don't get their mails but once a week.

Sporty George Could. London, July 12 .- George Gould for the Vigilant has challenged for the Victoria cup. The rules of the club require the rules will be waived in favor of the American yacht in view of the circumstances of the challenge.

### National Turnerbund.

Sr. Louis, July 12.-The executive committee of the North American Turnerbund at a meeting held here set July 24 as the date of the national convention of the society which will be held

A Thoughtful Person consults his best interests by having a box of Krause's Headache Capsules at hand; taken as directed will prevent or stop any kind of a headache, no matter

what the cause, in fact if your skull was cracked it would prevent pain. Sold by all druggists. WHEN it appeared that Gompers was going to join in the strike the labor leaders talked about the million men he had under his control; now that he is coun-

THE trouble with Pullman is that he

seling against it they speak of his small

## SUCH A POOR OLD MAN

HOW HE TOUCHED EVELYN MAL-COLM'S WOMANLY HEART.

The Street Musician and His Thrifty Gulle, An Iconoclastic Visit-Romances and Legncies-A Much Loved Song-A Modern

[Special Currespondence.] New York, June 28.—He was such a poor old man as he stood beside his street piano churning out the proclamation, "It wouldn't be a stylish marriage," as "he couldn't afford a carriage."

I stood and watched him with some interest, curiosity and a good deal of pity. The sunlight fell on his bare head and encircled it with a silver nimbus, and this same head kept time automatically to the measures of his clattering

"Dear me," I thought, "how sad it is that poor humans should be put to such straits to keep body and soul together! Is the keeping worth so much trouble? Why do the very neediest, even when old, cling so tenaciously to the life that offers them nothing?"

I made my way through among the groups of wildly dancing street urchins,



HE WAS SUCH A POOR OLD MAN. arms of a man I knew-a man who is supposed to know everything. Most men think they deserve this description, but this particular man had somehow inveigled his friends into agreeing with

htm. Why, what a thoughtful face you have this morning! What's the matter?" he asked.

"Oh, I have been watching that poor old man lown the street there, and it seems awfully sad to me!" I answered varier mistily. "The music? It is beastly. Heavens,

just hear those notes! I don't wonder you think such lack of ear terribly sad." "I was referring to the musician's sad condition," I snapped.

'Why, you're not pitying him?" "Yes, I am."

few hours he works, as a skilled artisan | economist of the historical school; Mrs. don't believe it? Well, come with me."

We entered a house about half a mile away. It was dilapidated and dirty, as are all the dwellings of the lower class Italians in New York, but it was curiously interesting. All around the room stood street organs of various kinds, from the small, consumptive one-kept so, as I learned, for artistic purposes, and particularly suitable for the blind man who sits on a crowded corner in the theater district-to the newest and most blatunt street pianos.

Then after a good deal of subterfuge and circumlecution these facts were ascertained from the earringed and ofly proprietor.

The planes are hired at exerbitant rates, but the itinerant musicians are quite willing to pay the rates-they can afford it. It is seldom that a man is more than a year in the business without being able to buy outright his own street organ for from \$50 to \$100. After this his profits are enormous-that is, comparatively so. Four or five hours' street playing brings in as many dollars, gathered almost mysteriously in pennics along the route assigned to each.

"And, oh, make believe these 'grinders' are not wide awake to effects," said the man who knew it all as we left. "When one goes into the German district among the purliens where the 'sauerkraut' sign is displayed, he plays 'The Watch on the Rhine' for all he is worth. When he trundles his organ through the French quarter, many an old man feels his blood shiver with a fever he had funcied dead when through the sunny air the street musician sends up the maddening, inspiriting strains of 'The Marseillaise.' He sees again scenes that give his old limbs strength, and what does he do, or what does his little daughter do, or the good wife who is ironing some other woman's petticoats by the window? Why surely a few pennies can be spared to the musician who has colored their dull day! Besides, if he fares well in the neighborhood, he'll come again soon. And so it goes. Where the Irish predominate you hear 'The Wearing of the Green' or 'The Rocky Road to Dublin,' and in neighborhoods not so clearly nationalized they give a tutti frutti of tunes from Bonnie Dundee' to the 'Swedish Wedding March.' Theirs is a lotus eating life. Let a man bury his pride and take to the streets with an organ, and he'll make money. To the Italian it is beaven, for he breathes the free air, and he knows no master. Now and then they have romances and small legacies left them."

"Nonsensel" "Nonsense? echoed the all knowing one. "Listen: There was one thing that the little crippled daughter of a millionaire loved above all else, and that was the organ grinder who stopped before her prison mansion every Saturday afternoon. She used to watch for him, and the song she loved best was when the organ grinder stopped before to enjoy and profit by them. the house it was shuttered, and white

crape floated from the bell. A maidservant, whose eyes were red from weeping, beckened to him. He was told the little girl who used to wave her hand to him was dead, and that in three days he was to come to the house and see her father. He appeared on good time, his picturesque rags discarded for very clean and ill fitting clothes. And the result? In memory of his little one's fondness for the man, and the fact that she had spoken of him when dying, the millionaire gave him a snug little legacy. Now he is a successful fruitgrower in Palermo. You won't pity them as a class any more?"

"Well, perhaps not." "But you'll give them pennies just the same,"

"Of course you will. And yet women want to vote when they can't put two and two together!" sniffed the man who

was not phased by anything on earth.

EVELYN MALCOLM.

THE CHAUTAUQUA SEASON. A Long List of Distinguished Speakers and Other Features. [Special Correspondence.]

CHAUTAUQUA, June 28 .- The season at Chautauqua this year promises to be more than ordinarily interesting. It opens June 30, and the formal closing occurs Aug 27. Chautauqua is a charming resort and is appreciated by all who sojourn there save the rapid paced and dissolute, for whom there are no accommodations. At the same time the village ordinances are liberal, and no legitimate recreation is prohibited. Boating, baseball, tennis, bathing, etc., are some of the daily diversions, and one can be as lazy as one wishes. But the spirit of this summer colony is distinctively active, and the literary f atures arouse considerable enthusiasm. A unique mental sympathy binds the community together. As for the system of education practiced, it exactly meets the requirements for which it was established, and its wonderful growth best indicates how acceptable it is to people who are desirous of extending Officers May Be Deposed For Nounttendtheir culture.

Outside of the regular courses of instruction the greatest interest perhaps attaches to the lectures. For this season an especially strong list of speakers has been secured. They include Professor Herbert B. Adams of Johns Hopkins university, a specialist in history and a promoter of popular education: Professor George B. Adams of Yale university, an able historical scholar; Mr. Frank Beard of Chicago, who delights audiences with his rapidly sketched caricatures and his droll comments; Mrs. C. E. Bishop of Washington, the "Americanizer" of Delsarte's system of physical development; Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of The Christian Advocate; Mr. Anthony Comstock of New York and Professor John R. Commons of the University of Indiana, a student of economics and sociology, author of "The Distribution of Wealth."

Then there are to be heard Dr. Richard "Well, you needn't. He makes as T. Ely, professor of economics and social much money in a day, considering the science in the University of Michigan, an does who has to slave indoors after hav- Emms P. Ewing of Rochester, a recogng spent years learning his trade. You nized authority on domestic economy in general and cookery in particular; Dr. Edward Everett Hale of Boston, a con-



a CHAUTAUQUA LAKE, spicuous figure in New England and national life; Professor Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago, an authority in criminology and problems of charity and reform; Miss K. E. Hogan of New York, of the New York bar, a clear and interesting lecturer on law asit relates to women; Professor Herman E. von Holst, the eminent historian, and General O. O. Howard of the United States army.

Other prominent speakers on the roster are Mr. John De Witt Miller of Philadelphia, Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, Mr. Leon H. Vincent of Philadelphia and Hon. Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor.

Among the readers are Mrs. Sarah Cowell Lemoyne of New York, Mr. Leland Powers of Boston, Mr. George Riddle of Cambridge, Mass., Mrs. Genevieve Stebbins of New York and Mr. F. Hopkinson Smith of New York, the well known artist author. In addition there occurs a variety of entertainments, such as concerts, piano recitals, debates and public meetings.

Last year was organized the so called Boys' club, particularly designed for lads between the ages of 8 and 16. This feature at Chautauqua, I believe, is to be developed, the authorities being convinced that it is a good one. They recognize the value of giving a boy the right start in life and surrounding him with influences that will be a help to him all through his boyhood and manhood. The system adopted is certainly a creditable step forward in the moral and physical education of youth. Gymnastics are made compulsory, but the exercises are safe, suitable and progressive. Boys will be taught how to widen and deepen their chests, draw their shoulders back and to stand erect. Practical, short and interesting talks will be given each day on such subjects as "How to Become Strong," "The Strong Men of the World," "The Care of the Body," "Morals For Boys," "What Makes a Boy Successful," "Anatomy and Physiology For Boys," "What to Do In Case of an Accident," "Good and Bad Habits," "How to Train For Running and Jumping."

The foregoing is but a brief outline of the features of Chautauqua for the coming season. Many other good things Little Annie Rooney.' Well, one day are in store for those who will be there

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS.

Officers of the High Court Elected-Historical and Various Notes.



alected officers as follows: High chief ranger, Thomas H. Cannon; vice bigh chief ranger, F. J. Callen; medical examiner, Dr. J. F. O'Malley; treasurer, Michael Cyr; secretary, J. B. Thiele. The order came into existence May 23, 1883. at Chicago. Since then it has in-creased rapidly.

T. H. CANNON. Last year, at the annual convention in Chicago, 5,000 members of the uniform rank paraded in uniform. There are now 268 courts in the United States, with a membership of 18,297. Canada has 154 courts and 8,872 members. Total, 442 courts and 26,669 members.

The salaries of the high court officers are: High chief ranger, \$1,000; high secretary, \$3,000; high treasurer, \$1,200. The sum of \$200,000 has been paid the

past year in death daims. It cost about 70 cents for each member in

the order to pay the expenses of the convention in St. Paul. Assessments for the endowment fund aggregated \$8.50 for the past year.

During the year 67 new courts have been Past Chief Cahill is a Chicagoan, having been high chief ranger from 1890 to 1899. For 20 years he was on the staff of the Chi-

cago Tribune. A comparatively new feature of the order is the uniform rank, which possesses a fine organization and appears in brilliant uni-

#### ODD FELLOWS.

ance Grips and Passwords.

subordinates is that an appointed officer being absent for four successive meetings, except for good cause, the noble grand may declare that office vacant and proceed at once to fill it in the usual manner. Sickness and sometimes absence from the town or state may be regarded as good cause for absence. Except for good cause it is generally unwise to retain on the list of officers those who remain away from the meetings more than four evenings in suc-

The Odd Fellows of Des Moines are preparing to erect a magnificent temple at you to get our prices. that place.

Rebekahs are the promoters of worthy enterprises, the sure support of all that is best in charitable effort and pioneers in much of the poblest work of the order. The three links ought to be good enough

for our brethren. There are 27 different orders of Odd Fellows in Great Britain.

The man who joins the order for the financial benefits he can get out of it generally ends in disappointment. The grand lodge of Missouri pays repre-

sentatives a per diem as well as mileage. The supreme court of Kansas will hear the Orphans' home case Oct. 6. Let us all work together for the advancement of the principles of Odd Fellowship

and accept for membership only those who will add dignity and character to the organization. Grand Master Evans of Iowa weighs but 90 pounds avoirdupois. Mentally and fra-

ternally, however, he tips the beam at a ton. Odd Fellows' Memorial day, June 12, was generally observed throughout the country. There is an effort being made among the children at the home at Lincoln, Ills., to

organize and maintain an orchestra. Since the Rebekah branch of the order was instituted in New Hampshire not a lodge has been lost. This covers a period of 24 years. It is a singular fact that in the lists of lodges, Rebekah lodges and encampments there is not a missing number.

Not a lodge lost for 35 years. The average weekly benefits paid in Idaho for the past year were \$7.50.

Union lodge, Chicago, was founded Feb. 28, 1844, and is the oldest in Illinois.

#### RED MEN.

Splendid Record of the Organization. Around the Connell Fire.

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Many tribes in Massachusetts have made hand-ome gains during the current term despite the hard times.

Ohio increased the per capita tax from councils of Pocahontas to 50 inches per great sun.

Individual effort builds up the tribe and the order. Enights of the Maccabees. On June 1 there were 70,000 members of

the order in Michigan. Supreme Commander D. P. Markey was in Connecticut recently visiting tents and hives and reports the east full of Maccabec

The Muccabees throughout Michigan received a special dispensation from Great Record Keeper Boynton that for 90 days from May 15 all tents may receive new members at a reduction of \$5 on the membership fee. This reduces cost of joining to \$2.70, with one assessment added, according to age of applicant.

enthusiasm.

Enights of the Golden Engle.

The castles in the northern center of Philadelphia contemplate securing a ball adapted for Eagle purposes. The seven castles in Pennsylvania hav-

ing a membership exceeding 800 are: Reading, 487; Olive, 847; Blue Cross, 889; Waver-331; Sirius, 322; Harris, 502; Mount Penn, 301.

There are five temples in Massachusetts with a membership of about 400.

Two hundred and six castles in Pennsylvania have funds ranging from \$1,000 to

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